Local Securities.

Sales reported on the local Exchange follow:



American NATIONAL BANK INDIANAPOLIS - \$1,000,000. Surplus and Profits, 225,000

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marketing of sheep and lambs continue

small, the receipts to-day being less than one

fifth as large as a week ago and about 150 small-

er than a year ago. As usual for several days

past the supply was too small to invite compe-

tition from all buyers, and on that account there

fault of the market. Sales to-day included lambs at \$5.25 to \$5.85 and sheep at \$3.25 to \$4. Quo-

Common to medium lambs 4.25@4.

Transactions at the Interstate Yards.

INTERSTATE STOCKYARDS, INDIANAPO-

bis, Feb. 13.-Cattle-Receipts, none; shipments,

none. The market was strong on the best butch-

er stock, but all other grades were considered steady. A fair local demand exists for the pre-

unchanged, the best being worth \$7.50@8. Quo-

Good feeding steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs.... 2.75@ 4.25 Good feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs..... 2.25@ 3.75

was another change in the market this morning,

Sheep-Receipts none; shipments none. The market continues in fair condition. The demand

is general from all sources for good to choice

Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 13.-Cattle-Receipts, 1,000

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 13.—Cattle steady. Choice to prime shipping steers, \$4.40@4.65; medium to good shipping steers, \$4.25@4.40; choice butcher steers, \$4@4.35; medium to good butchers, \$3.50@3.75; choice veals, \$6@6.75.

Hogs-Best heavy, \$6.95; light shipping, \$6.40;

EAST LIBERTY, Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; heavy and mediums, \$7.20 67.25; best heavy Yorkers, \$7.15@7.20; light Yorkers, \$7.05@7.10; pigs, \$6.90@7. Sheep—Receipts, 500; sheep, \$5 down; lambs,

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.-Hogs active and higher

at \$5.65@7.05. Cattle dull and lower at \$2@4.65. Sheep easy at \$2.50@4.75. Lambs easier at \$4.50

Pensions for Veterans.

named Indianians:

Certificates have been issued to the following-

Original-Cornelius Jones, Southport, \$6; An-

Increase, Reissue, etc.—Samuel K. Nelson, Pikeville, \$14; John Gill, Avardo, \$8; Jason Hampton, Friendswood, \$8; Joshua Sims, Edin-

burg, \$8; Benjamin F. Yerrick, South Bend; \$70;

William C. Lynn, Cherryvale, \$14; George P. Graf, Knightstown, \$24; John F. Webster, Ft. Wayne, \$10; Philip Blue, Rensselaer, \$12; Charles

ny A. Anhieer, Monticello, \$12,75 (war with

Mixed and heavy packing..... Good to choice light weights...

Good to choice cows...... 3.500

on to good stockers..... 3.00@ 3.76

Good to choice steers, 1,350 lbs and up-

Good to choice yearlings Good to choice sheep......

common to medium sheep

vas no unusual activity in the market, but the

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was no unusual activity in the market, but the demand from local butchers was sufficient to take all of the supply, and a good clearance was made in season at steady prices compared with those current yesterday. The market this week on account of the small supplies and scarcity of choice stock has not developed as much strength as might have been expected, but it was not the fault of the market. Sales to day included lambs

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THE LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CATTLE SCARCE AND IN GOOD DE-MAND AT STRONGER PRICES.

Hogs Fairly Active and Five to Ten Cents Higher-Sheep Active and Steady-Markets Elsewhere.

UNION STOCKYARDS, INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. marketing of cattle continues of small volume, the receipts to-day being over one hundred less than a week ago and over one hundred smaller than a year ago. As usual for some time past there was not a complete variety of grades represented and comparatively few in their class were good enough to sell around top briess. The market opened with practically all prices. The market opened with practically all buyers in the field, except there was no important representation from outside sources. There was a good demand, however, from local packing houses, and with only a moderate supply to select from they were active bidders, and the trading from the start was animated. Salesmen were encouraged by the existing conditions and succeeded in disposing of their consignments at rather more satisfactory prices than those current at any time heretofore this week, and, in fact, for some time past. In a general way it was claimed that the fat steers and cows were selling on a basis of 10c higher than a week ago, while better the fact of the process of the market was almost nominal, but feeling firm.

hogs, 7,439; sheep, 519.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,137.

Steers slow, steady for fair to good; common easier; bulls and cows steady; about all sold.

Steers, 34.25\(\partial 0.50\), foressed weight; sheep firm at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower at 8\(\partial 0.50\), 60 cables quoted live eattle all 3\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower at 8\(\partial 0.50\), 60 cables quoted live eattle at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower at 8\(\partial 0.50\), 60 cables quoted live eattle at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower at 8\(\partial 0.50\), 60 cables quoted live eattle at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower at 8\(\partial 0.50\), 60 cables quoted live eattle at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; sheep firm at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; sheep firm at 13\(\partial c\) 15c, dressed weight; sheep firm at 13\(\partial c\) 13c 15c. The market was steady to strong. Veals, \$\(\partial 0.50\), 75; little calves, \$\(\partial 0.50\), 75; little calve on a basis of 10c higher than a week ago, while heifers, on account of the great scarcity, have gained from 10c to 25c. There was also a better outlet for stockers and feeding cattle to-day refully steady prices, and altogether the requirements were sufficient to exhaust the supply in good season and the market closed steady at current prices of the day. The best steers here heifers, on account of the great scarcity, have ices of the day. The best steers here to-day averaged only a little over 1,100 lbs and sold at \$4.65, while plainer cattle, averaging cows good enough to bring over \$4. Quotations:

Good to choice 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers... 4.25@ Plain fat 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers...... 4.10@ Plain fat 900 to 1,150-lb steers. od feeding steers, 900 to 1,100 lbs..... ommon to good stockers Good to choice cows and calves......35.00@50.00 Common to medium cows and calves....20.00@30.00 -Representative Sales-Steers .-

4.55 24 Texas......1066 -Heifers .-\$4.00 2 4.00 2 -Calves.-

Hogs-Receipts, 4,500; shipments, 2,000. The receipts of hogs are still of only fair volume, but nearly as many arrived to-day as a week ago and over 1,000 less than a year ago. In harmony with more favorable reports from outside places the market here opened with a better demand than conditions at the close yesterday indicated there would be. All buyers were in the field, and while there was no really aggressive competition it was evident that it would require most of the ly to meet the requirements. Therefore sales-were holding their consignments higher, and ly succeeded in regaining all of yesterday's in prices. In a general way the market was be higher and occasionally sales represented loc advance. After a basis for operations had been established the trading was fairly active, and a good clearance was made. Sales ranged from \$6.50 to \$7.02½, and a large percentage of the supply sold above \$6.70. Quotations:

Wayne, \$10; Philip Blue, Rensselaer, \$12; Charles Harmon, Brownsburg, \$12; William Spaulding, dead, Bloomington, \$50; George Smith, New Albany, \$12 (Mexican war).

Widows, Minors and Dependent Relatives—Nancy J. Reed, Anderson, \$8; Elizabeth Jones, Pikeville, \$8; Nancy Burris, Morgantown, \$8; Elizabeth Smee, Evansville, \$; Julia Hardy, Bloomfield, \$8; Matilda Spaulding, Bloomington, \$12; Eliza Singer, Noblesville, \$12; Eunice Clary, Seafield, \$12; minor of John Crist, Aurora, \$10. Youth, Love and Tragedy.

Walter Houston, aged fourteen, is dying, and James Stokes, aged fifteen, is seriously wounded in the foot. These infants quar-reled over a girl at school and decided to fight a duel. Target rifles were used with above results. Prospects are not encouraging for parents. Years ago a child got through teething and measles and mumps before attacked with love. Now mothers have to face love and teething at the same

STOCKS ARE VERY ACTIVE

BUT THE PRICE TENDENCY IS TO-WARD A LOWER LEVEL.

Final Rally in the Eries Checks General Selling-Money Continues Easy, but Gold Exports Are Feared.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-The increase in was mostly on the selling side and caused a further recession in the level of the rices. The marketing of stock was pretty the Eries during the final hour. Support the other Morgan stocks, notably Reading and Southern Railway, the latter rising a fraction over Wednesday. The sentimental effect of this support was little more than to check the selling elsewhere. The buying of the Eries themselves was followed up, and the close was dull and heavy.

The selling of the Eries was on a very

large scale from the outset, London joining in the movement. Extreme declines were effected in the common stock of 214, in the first preferred of 2%, and in the second preferred 3%. The terms of the new issue of bonds were disappointing, but there was also selling by speculative holders who had bought with the idea that some new disposition of the whole property was involved. Some sort of new capital issue by the Erie ferred kinds, but the outlet is as limited as ever has been understood to be on the pro-Corporations and Individuals for the common, thin cattle. Calf quotations are gramme for several years past. The prospect of increased earnings by reason of the outlay and the possible rights to subscription by stockholders at the issue price of Plain fat steers, 1,350 lbs and upward... 4.25@ 4.50 Good to choice steers, 960 to 1,100 lbs.... 3.75@ 4.00 Plain fat steers, 900 to 1,150 lbs..... 3.50@ 4.00 871/2 did not prove sufficiently attractive to prevent very heavy realizing on the recent advance. The stocks were practically unsupported until the last hour. The sympathetic effect on the general list was considerable and the active speculative leaders were very generally a point or more below were very generally a point or more below 3 per cent., closing at 2%. Time money Wednesday's level at one time during the steady; sixty and ninety days, 4 per cent.; day. The concentrated selling of some of six months, 44@44. Prime mercantile pa-the speculative pools. There were some evi-........... 4.00@ 7.00 dences also of bearish manipulation, especially in the circulation of rumors of the serious sickness of a prominent operator who is supposed to have important market Hogs-Receipts small; shipments none. There interests committed to his guardianship. was another change in the market this morning, but the downward trend that had been prevailing for three days was stopped. Quotations advanced 5 to 10c over those of yesterday. The feeling is a healthy one, as the local demand for all kinds is very good. The top figure is \$7, but the bulk of the hogs now are selling from \$6.75 to \$6.95. The market closed quiet and steady at The rally in the last hour was helped by the preliminary figures of the week's cur-rency movement, which indicate a net gain in cash by the banks during the week, up to Wednesday night, of over a million doilars. Early in the day the sentiment over the money situation was dominated by the further considerable rise in sterling exchange practically to the gold export point, allowing for yesterday's reaction in sterling at Paris. Exchange authorities affirm that if a fast steamship were sailing to Europe she would carry a consignment of gold. There will be no fast ship to sail until next week, but a prabability of gold exports is indicated. Money is growing lighter in London and the selling of stocks here today for that account was large and was a material factor in the strengthening of ex-change. The week's exports, both of wheat and corn, also fell off materially from those of last week, while the week's imports of dry goods show the inward movement of merchandise still maintained at a high

The Central of Georgia income bonds rose sharply, but the movement of prices generally in the bond market was irregular. Total sales at par value were \$2,350,000. United States twos declined 1/4 and the old

KANSAS CITY. Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 natives and 200 Texans; calves, 50. Corn cattle firm; canner cows weak; good cows steady; stockers and feeders slow and weak. Choice export and dressed beef steers, \$4.40@5.35; fair to good. \$2@4.35; stockers and feeders, \$2@4.15; Western fed steers, \$2.75@5; Texans and Indian steers, \$3@4; Texas cows, \$2.30@3.05; native cows, \$2@3.75; native helfers, \$2@3.75; canners, \$1@2; bulls, \$2.25@3.50; calves, \$2.50@6.

Hogs—Receipts, 4.700. Market steady to 5c higher. Top, \$7.02½; bulk of sales, 6.75@6.90. Heavy, \$6.80@7.02; mixed packers, \$6.65@6.90; light, \$6.55@6.75; Yorkers, \$6.70@6.75; pigs, 6.05@6.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 500. The market was steady. Native lambs, \$4@6.15; Western lambs, \$3.85@6.05; fed ewes, \$3@5.10; native wethers, \$3.05@4.85; fours 1/2 per cent. on the last call. Following are the day's share sales and the recorded price changes:

Hogs-Receipts, 4,700. Market steady to 5	and the second s	
higher. Top. \$7.02½; bulk of sales, 6.75@6.96 Heavy, \$6.80@7.02; mixed packers, \$6.65@6.90; light	TAILMOADS Sales was	7% Bi
\$6.55@6.75; Yorkers, \$6.70@6.75; pigs, 6.05@6.35.	Atchison pref 2,800 101% 100	0% 100
Sheep—Receipts, 500. The market was steady Native lambs, \$4@6.15; Western lambs, \$3.85@6.05	: Baltimore & Ohio 1,900 100% 31	9% 101
fed ewes, \$3@5.10; native wethers, \$3.05@4.85	Canadian Davide 4 300 12714 186	6% 137
Western wethers, \$3@4.90; stockers and feeders	Canada Southern	75
\$2.50@8.50.	Chesapeake & Ohio 4,700 52% 51	1% 52
CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500 Westerns steady. Good to prime steers, \$4.406		5% 35 1% 71
5.50; poor to medium, \$3@4.25; stockers and feed	Chicago & Alton pref 100 71% 71 Chicago & Eastern Ill	200
ers, \$2.25@4.50; cows, \$1.40@4.40; helfers, \$2@4.50	: Chicago Great Western 1,900 28 2	7% 27
canners, \$1.40@2.50; bulls, \$2@4.25; calves, \$3.50@ \$4; Texas fed steers, \$3.50@4.25.		51/6 44
Hogs-Receipts to-day, 25,000; to-morrow, 15,000		200
left over, 5,000. Market 5c to 10c higher. Mixe	d Chicago T. & T 200 1816 1	81/2 18
and butchers, \$6.65@7.05; good to choice heavy		6 96
\$7@7.17½; rough heavy, \$6.70@6.95; light, \$6.400 6.65. Bulk of sales, \$6.65@6.95.	The state of the s	0 25
Sheep-Receipts, 4,000. Sheep and lambs stead	Colorado S. 1st pref 100 70% 70	0% 70
to strong. Good to choice wethers, \$4.75@5.50	Colorado S. 2d pref 100 45 4	
fair to choice mixed, \$3.50@4.75; Western sheet \$4.75@5.40; native lambs, \$4.75@6.60. Wester	T A TH	0 180
lambs, \$4.75@6.50.	Denver & Rio Grande 700 41% 4	136 41
Official yesterday: Receipts-Cattle, 6.775; hogo	Denver & R. G. pref 500 891/2 8	91/2 85
33,771; sheep, 7,588. Shipments—Cattle, 4,691 hogs, 7,439; sheep, 519.		8% 35 0% 71
NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Beeves-Receipts, 3,13		9% 61
Steers slow, steady for fair to good; commo	Great Northern pref	200
easier; bulls and cows steady; about all sold	Hocking Valley 1,100 105% 10	41/4 104 81/2 98
Steers, \$4.25@5.45; oxen, \$3.70@4.30; bulls, \$3.256 4.40; cowe, \$1.75@3.60. Cables quoted live cattl		514 14
slow at 111/2c to 13c, dressed weight; sheep fire		514 4
at 131/2c to 15c, dressed weight; refrigerator bee	Ilowa Central pref	3 3
lower at 8%@8%c per lb. Exports to-morrow 1,582 cattle and 7,948 quarters of beef.		71/2 57
Calves-Receipts. 65. The market was stead		4
to strong. Veals, \$5@9.75; little calves, \$4@4.50	Lake Erie & W. pref	110
fed calves, \$4.50; no Westerns. City dresse	d Louisville & Nashville 1,500 1261/2 12 Manhattan L 3,500 145 14	51/2 120
veals steady at 11@14c. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,261. Sheep an		6% 13
good lambs firm; common lambs quiet; no goo	Mexican Central 3,300 2714 2	6% 2
sheep here. Lambs, \$5.75@7; culls, \$5.	Mexican National 400 191/4 1	191/4 19
Hogs-Receipts, 2,090. The market was almost nominal, but feeling firm.	Minneapolis & St. Louis. Missouri Pacific 33,300 114% 11	3% 11
	Missouri, K. & T 3,400 29% 2	8% 2
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000, in cluding 300 Texans. Market steady. Native ship	Missouri, K. & T. pref 4,000 631/2 6	234 6
ping and export steers, \$3.90@5.25, with strict	y 1100 1100 1100 1100 110	19% 14
fancy quoted up to \$6; dressed beef and butche	Nortalle & Western 200 7514 7	41/2 7
steers, \$3.50@5; steers under 1,000 lbs, \$3@4.5; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.25; cows and hei	Norfolk & Western pref	0
ers, \$2.25@4.50; canners, \$1.50@2.50; bulls, \$2.40	Ontario & Western 12 400 15054 15	376 3
3.50; calves, \$408; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.1 04.25; cows and helfers, \$203.15.	Reading 2,500 64 6	234 6
Hogs-Receipts, 4.500. The market was 5@16	Reading 1st pref 100 88 8	8 8
higher. Pigs and lights, \$6.40@6.75; packers, \$6.	n Reading 2d pret	6 7
@6.90; butchers, \$6.75@7.	1 The state of the	1 8
Sheep-Receipts, 800. Market steady to strong Native muttons. \$4.20@5; lambs, \$4@6.40; cul	St. Louis & S. F 400 80% 8	801/2 8
and bucks, \$2@4.50; stockers, \$1.50@3; Texan	St. I. & S. F. 18t pret 100 of a	134 8
\$3.50@4.10.	St Touis Southwestern 400 28% 2	
EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 13.—Cattle-Receipt	St. Louis S. W. pref 300 621/4 6	28 2 52 6
75. The market was strong and 10c lower. Vea —Receipts, 420. The market was steady; top	I the T this sand section and the section of the se	10
\$9.50@10; common to good, \$5.50@9.25.	Southern Pacific 30,900 6516 6	33% 6
Hogs-Receipts, 5,100. The market was activ	e Southern Railway 9,600 361/4 3	35% 3
and steady; heavy, \$7.20@7.25; mixed, \$7.15@7.29 Yorkers, \$7.10@7.15; pigs, \$7; roughs, \$6.10@6.40		96 9
stags, \$5@5.50.		15% 4
Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 14,800. Shee	2 Toledo, St. L. & W. pref	4
steady. Lambs 10@15c higher; top lambs, \$6.75-6.85; culls to good. \$4.25@6.80; yearlings, \$5.25-	Union Pacific 24,100 102% 10	1116 10
5.75; ewes, \$4.50@4.75; top mixed sheep, \$4.50	Wabash 200 3114 3	4% 9 31 3
4.75; culls to good, \$2.25@4.40.	Wabash pref 23,900 51% 4	19% 5
OMAHA. Feb. 13Cattle-Receipts, 1.20	0. Wheeling & Lake Erie 600 27% 2	261/4 2
Market active, strong and 10@20c higher; nativ		371/4 3 281/4 2
steers, \$3.50@5; cows and helfers, \$2.80@4; car ners, \$1.75@2.65; stockers and feeders, \$3@4.4		54 5
calves, \$3.25@6.25; bulls, stags, etc., \$2@3.75.	EXPRESS COMPANIES-	Property .
Hogs-Receipts, 6,500. Market active and 5		22
10c higher: heavy, \$6.80@6.90; mixed, \$6.75@6.8 light, \$6.50@6.75; bulk of sales, \$6.77½@6.85.	' American	22
Sheep-Receipts, 2,500. Market active ar		14
steady; fed yearlings, \$4.75@5.50; wethers, \$4.50	Wells-Pargo	22
5.25; ewes. \$3.75@4.50; common and stockers, \$1. @4.25; lambs, \$4.85@6.25.		6914 6
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Amalgamated Copper.... 47,800 American Car & Foundry. 700 Am. Car & Foundry pref. 200 Am. Lingeed Oil pref Am. Locomotive pref.... 300 Am. Smelting & Refining. 19,900 Anaconda Mining Co..... 1,500 111% 1094 Brooklyn Rapid Transit.. 8,300 694 68% Brooklyn Rapid Transit., 8,300 Colorado Fuel & Iron.... 190 International Paper International Paper pref. International Power...... wit llman Palace Car.....

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U. S. Leather pref..... 4,500
United States Rubber.... 200
U. S. Rubber pref...... 800 U. S. Rubber pref...... 890 United States Steel..... 19,700 U. S. Steel pref..... 8,300 UNITED STATES BONDS. States threes, reg.... States threes, coup... States new fours, reg. States new fours, coup... States old fours, reg... States old fours, coup... States fives, reg....

Chicago Stocks.

[A. W. Thompson & Co.'s Telegram.]

Open-High-Low-Clos-ing. est. est. ing. ... 47 47% 47 47%

ribs 1216c higher at \$9.3216.

United Box Board 7% 8 7% 8 United Box Board pref.... 48% 49% 48% 49% Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 77½c; No. 3, 70@ 74c; No. 2 red, 74½@74%c. Corn—No. 2, 43%c; No. 2 yellow, 43%c. Oats—No. 2, 34½c; No. 2 white, 38c; No. 3 white, 36@36%c. Rye—No. 2, 48%@49c. Good feeding barley, 43@46c. Flaxseed—No. 1, \$1.14; No. 1 Northwestern, \$1.19. Prime timothy seed, \$1.37. Clever, contract grade, \$11.55. Mess perk, per brl, \$17@17.12½. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$9.52½@9.55. Short rib sides (loose), \$9.10@9.30. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$8.12½@8.25. Short clear sides (boxed), \$9.50@9.67½. Whisky, basis of high wines, \$1.30. Quotations furnished by the Exchange are here wines, \$1.30. Receipts-Flour, 49,300 brls; wheat, 71,200

Open. High, Bid. Ask. Am. Cent. Life Ins. Co... 89 American National Bank...145 Atlas Engine Works pfd...1091/2 110 Belt Railroad common Belt Railroad pfd., Belt Railroad pfd.......132 Capital National Bank....1571/2 Climax C. & B. P. Co.... Central Trust Co. Columbia National Bank. 108 Consumers' Gas Trust Co.,700 Federal Union Surety Co ... steady. Corn meal dull; yellow Western, ndianapolis Fire Ins. Co. 139 ndianapolis Street-railway 75 ndianapolis Ter. & Trac., 25 Merchants' National Bank 192 People's Deposit Bank.....110 Rauh Fertilizer pfd.......10334 Security Trust Co ... Traction common... 50

Home H. & L. Co. 5s ... MONETARY.

Rates on Loans and Exchange-Clearings and Balances.

INDIANAPOLIS.-Commercial paper, 4@6 per cent.; time loans, 5@6 per cent. Clear-ings, \$813,411.87; balances, \$240,322.94. NEW YORK.-Call money steady at 2%@

for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.85 and \$8.88; commercial bills, \$4.83%@4.84%. Clearings, \$331,069,877; balances, \$10,492,524. CHICAGO.-New York exchange, par to 10c premium. Sterling exchange, \$4.85 for sixty days, \$4.88 for demand. Clearings, \$37,009,920; balances, \$1,470,820. BOSTON.-Clearings, \$18,176,466; balances,

PHILADELPHIA.-Money, 41/2@5 cent. Clearings, \$23,028,670; balances, \$2,210,-ST. LOUIS.-Money, 5@6 per cent. New York exchange, 10c premium. Clearings, \$7,014,719; balances, \$1,032,511.

BALTIMORE .- Clearings, \$2,583,776; bal-CINCINNATI.-Money, 4@6 per cent. New York exchange, 25c discount. Clear-

Money Rates Abroad.

LONDON.—Money, 34@34 per cent.; discounts, 3.7-16@34 and 3%@3.7-16; consols,

PARIS.-Three per cent. rentes, 100f 10c for the account. BERLIN.-Exchange on London, 20m 491/2pf for checks.

Markets for Silver. NEW YORK.-Bar silver, 48c; Mexican

dollars, 374c LONDON.-Silver bars, 22 3-16d an ounce. Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON .- Friday's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance.....\$221,506,683 Gold 103,062,984

A. R. Thompson Takes a Partner. Albert R. Thompson & Co., bankers and brokers, have announced that their firm will hereafter consist of Albert R. Thompson and W. G. Comly. Mr. Comly has sold his interests in the Varney Electrical Supply Company and will give his attention to the bond department of the business.

BREAK IN GRAIN PRICES

MANY INFLUENCES TEND TO DE-PRESS THE CHIEF MARKETS.

Losses Range from 1-8c in Corn to 7-Sc in Wheat-Provisions Are

CHICAGO, Feb. 13 .- There was general liquidation in grains due to bearish news and lower prices were recorded, May wheat closing %@%c lower, corn off %c, while oats were down %c. Provisions were strong, packages; the market was firm; State dairy, 15@ 24c; extra creamery, 26c; held creamery, 18@25c; creamery, common to choice, 18@25c. Cheese—

Strong and Make Small Gains.

Trading in wheat was only moderate, and being generally bearish. At the start the weak opening here, May being off %c at 77% prices and covered freely, which brought extra near-by prints, 28c. Eggs 1 cent lower; about a rally to 78467836c, but predictions fresh near-by and Western, 16c at mark; fresh of snow over a large portion of the West and the large Argentina shipments caused quite general liquidation, and the market declined, with now and then a slight rally.

Item near-by and Western, 16c at mark; fresh Southwestern, 15@16c at mark; fresh Southwestern, 16c at mark; fresh Southwestern, 15@16c at mark; fresh Southwestern, 15@16c at mark; fresh Southwestern, 16c at mark; fresh The break in oats, late in the day, affected wheat, and sent May down to 774c. The close was weak, with May %@%c lower at 774c. Export business was very small and side markets were lower, all of which tended to add to the depression. Primary receipts were 891,000 bu (two days), against 407,000 bu a year ago. Minneapolls and Duluth reported receipts of 756 cars, which, with local receipts of 31 cars, none of contract grade, made a total of 787 cars, against 334 cars last week and 268 cars a year ago. Corn was rather quiet, but the early sen-timent was bullish on light receipts and the poor grading, although opening prices flat, 14c.
were easier on lower cables. There was ST. LO
free buying by commission houses during 626c; da

the first part of the day, but on the break in wheat selling became more pronounced, the market was unable to withstand the pressure and prices weakened. The close was about steady with May off 1/3c at 451/3c, after selling between 451/3c and 451/3c. Receipts were 395 cars, none of contract grade. There was moderate selling of oats early by elevator people against standard oats being turned out of private warehouses, the inspection sheet showing about 90,000 bu from that source. Considerable stuff, the larger part of it presumably from the leader of the longs, and a large number of stop-loss orders, came out on the break. The close was weak, with May %c lower at 36% @36%c, after ranging between 36%c and 37%c. Receipts were 260 cars.

Provisions were strong, being helped chiefly by the advance of 5c to 10c in the price of hogs. There was some buying of pork and ribs by packers, and shorts covered freely. The volume of trading was light. The close was strong, with May pork 10c higher at \$17, lard up 21/2c at \$9.471/2 and

45 cars; corn, 505 cars; oats, 290 cars; hogs, Leading futures ranged as follows: Feb ... 74% May ... 77%-78 July ... 74%-74% ... 45%-45% ... 43%-43% 9.45

Estimated receipts for to-morrow: Wheat,

corn, 484,400 bu; oats, 413,400 bu; rye, 20,000 bu; barley, 108,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 23,200 brls; wheat, 29,600 bu; corn, 320,800 bu; oats, 217,900 bu; rye, 12,000 bu; barley, 17,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

All Grains Easier with the West and on Local Selling. NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-Flour-Receipts, 24,320 brls; exports, 5,798 brls; sales, 11,800 packages. The market was dull, but held

\$1.19; city, \$1.16. Wheat-Receipts, 39.950 bu; exports, 104,-696 bu; sales, 2,280,000 bu futures. Spot easier; No. 2 red, 81%c elevator, 82%c f. o. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 89%c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 89%c f. o. b. afloat. Options developed fair activity and considerable weakness to-day under a wave of liquidation arising from large Northwestern receipts, foreign selling, easier ca-bles, big Argentine shipments and a light export demand; closed %@14c net lower. May, 81 1-16@81%c, closed at 81%c; July,

784@78 11-16c, closed at 784c; September closed at 76%c. Corn-Receipts, 151,000 bu; exports, 48,187 bu; sales, 150,000 bu futures, 96,000 bu spot. Spot easy; No. 2, 61c elevator, 56%c f. o. b. affoat; No. 2 yellow, 58c; No. 2 white, 58c. Options at first were stronger on poor grading, but the corn bought on this swell later contributed to the heaviness that in the afternoon followed the wheat break and the close was easy at %@\\chic net decline.

May, 51\\(\pi_052\) 1-16c, closed at 51 1-16c; July,

49\\(\pi_049\)\(\pi_c\), closed at 49\\(\pi_c\).

Oats—Receipts, 97,500 bu; exports, 2,440 bu.

Spot easy; No. 2, 43\\(\pi_c\); standard white, 44c;

No. 3, 42\\(\pi_c\); No. 2 white, 44c; No. 3 white,

43\(\pi_c\); track white 4\(\pi_0486\). Options strong.

43½c; track white, 43@48c. Options stronger during the forenoon, but later collapsed with other markets. May closed at 42%c Cut meats irregular; pickled bellies, \$9@10; pickled shoulders, \$8@8.25; pickled hams, \$11@11.50. Tallow easy; city, 6c; country, 6¼@6½c. Cotton-seed oil firm; prime yellow 41@42c

low, 41@42c.
Coffee—Spot steady; No. 7 invoice, 5%c;
mild quiet; Cordova, 7@11%c.
Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3%c; cen-

TRADE IN GENERAL

Quotations at St. Louis, Baltimore, Cincinnati and Elsewhere

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Flour steady; red winter patents, \$3.45@3.55; extra fancy and straight, \$3.15@3.25; clear, \$3@3.15. Timothy seed steady at \$3@3.60. Corn meal steady at \$2.30. Bran strong; sacked, east track, \$4@86c. Wheat lower; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 72%c; track, 75@77½c; May, 73%c; July, 71%c; No. 2 hard, 71@74c. Corn lower; No. 2 cash lower; No. 2 cash, 41c; track, 41@44½c; May, 41¾c; July, 41@41½c. Oats lower; No. 2 cash, 36½c; track, 36½@37½c; May, 36½c; No. 2 white, 37½@38c. Rye steady at 49½c. Pork higher; jobbing, standard mess, \$17.25. Lard stronger at \$9.40. Dry-salt meats stronger; boxed extra short and clear ribs, \$9.12½; short clears, \$9.37½. Bacon stronger; boxed extra shorts, \$10; clear ribs, \$10.12½; short clear, \$10.37½. Hay strong; timothy, \$10@15; prairie, \$9@11. Whisky steady at \$1.30. Iron cotton ties, \$1.07½. Bagging, 6 5-16 @7 1-16c. Hemp twine, 9c. Receipts—Flour, 12,000 brls; wheat, 65,000 bu; corn, 219,000 bu; oats, 170,-000 bu LOUISVILLE, Feb. 13.—Wheat—No. 2 red and longberry, 79c; No. 3 red and longberry, 77c. Apples, sun-dried, 4%@5c per lb for large and bright and 4@4½c for medium. Peaches, 2½@3c. Beans, Northern hand-picked, \$2.50 per bu; Indiana new beans, \$2.25@2.50 per bu. Hay, choice in car lots, on track, \$17.50@18.50. Clover, \$12@13. Straw, \$5.50. Clean ginseng, \$4@4.25 per lb. Potatoes, \$1.75 per br!; Northern potatoes, 60c per bu. Onions, \$2.25@2.50 per brl. Cabbage, 90c per brl. Peppers, \$2.75 per crate. Peppers, \$2.75 per crate.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 13.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red Western winter steady at 68 6½d; No. 1 northern spring quiet at 68 3½d; No. 1 California quiet at 68 1ld. Corn—Spot American mixed new firm at 48 7½d; American mixed old, no stock. Bacon—Cumberland cut quiet at 46s; long clear middles, light, dull at 46s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, dull at 46s; short clear backs dull at 46s; clear bellies quiet at 48s. Shoulders—Square duil at 37s 6d. Lard—American refined, in pails, dull at 47s 6d. at 47s 6d.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 13.—Wheat—May, 68@ 68\\(\frac{1}{3}\)c; July, 65\\(\pi\)665\\(\pi\)c; cash No. 2 hard, 67\\(\pi\)69c; No. 3, 65\(\pi\)68c; No. 4, 58\(\pi\)63c; rejected, 55\(\pi\)
59c; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 3, 66\(\pi\)68c. Corn—April, 38\\(\pi\)c asked; May, 38\\(\pi\)c; July, 38c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 38\\(\pi\)640c; No. 2 white, 40\\(\pi\)641\\(\pi\)c; No. 3, 40\\(\pi\)640\\(\pi\)c. Oats—No. 2 white, 35\\(\pi\)635\\(\pi\)c. Receipts—Wheat (two days), 58,400 bu; corn, 115,500 bu; oats, 4,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 40,800 bu; corn, 80,300 bu; oats, 33,000 bu. TOLEDO, Feb. 13.—Wheat fairly active and lower; cash, 77½c; May, 80c; July, 76c. Corn dull and easier; February, 46c; May, 45½c. Oats dull and weak; February, 37½c; May, 37½c. Rye—No. 2, 53½c. Clover seed dull and unchanged; February, \$7.02½; March, \$7.07½; prime timothy, \$1.85; prime alsike, \$8.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.—Flour easy. Wheat easier; No. 2 red, 86c. Corn easy; No. 2 mixed, 47c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 3814@39c. Rye easy; No. 2, 58c. Lard steady at \$9.35. Bulk meats steady at \$9.25. Bacon steady at \$19.50. Whisky dull at \$1.30. Sugar easy.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and easy; spot, 794@79%c; February, 794@79%c. Corn easy; spot, 53%@53%c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, DULUTH, Feb. 13.-Wheat-Cash No. 1 hard 77c; No. 2 northern, 74c; to arrive No. 1 northern, 76½c; May, 77c; July, 76½c. Oats-May, 35c; to arrive and on track, 341/2c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—Wheat—May, 75%@ 76c; July, 76%c; on track No. 1 hard, 77%c; No. 1 northern, 75%@76%c; No. 2 northern, 74%@75%c. MILWAUKEE, Feb. 13.-Barley steady; No. 2,

Butter, Cheese and Eggs. NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Butter-Receipts, 7,557 Receipts, 1,754 packages; the market was firm; State full cream, fancy small colored, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13½@14c; fancy small white, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13½c; fancy large colored, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13½c; fancy large white, fall made, 14½c; late made, 13½c. Eggs—Receipts, 18,786 packages; the market was unsettled; State and Pennsylvania, 15c; Western fancy, 15c; Southern, 14c; refrigerated, 9@12c. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 13.—Butter steady and n fair demand; extra Western creamery, 27c

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.-Butter steady to firm fancy imitation, 20@21c; fancy creamery, 25@27c fancy ladle, 18@19c; fancy roll, 17@18c; good roll 16@17c; store packed, 15@17c. Eggs demoralized and lower; fresh, 15@16c. Cheese firm and unchanged; large, 14@14%c; medium, 14@14%c; changed; large, small, 14%@14%c. CHICAGO, Feb. 13 .- On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was steady to firm; creameries, 18@2516c; dairies, 15@23c. Eggs easy at 14%c at the mark, cases returned. Cheese steady at 12%e to 13c@131/c. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 13.—Eggs lower; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, 12½c, loss off; new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 13c.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.—Eggs weak and lower at \$@13c. Butter steady. Cheese steady; Ohio ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Butter firm; creamery, 19 @26c; dairy, 17@29c. Eggs lower at 12½c for LOUISVILLE, Feb. 13.-Butter, common and

medium, 12@16c per lb. Eggs, 14@15c. BOSTON, Feb. 13.-[Special.]-Eggs steady at

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—The Commercial Bulletin will say in to-morrow's issue: The shipments of wool from Boston to date from Dec. 31, 1902, are 35,519,094 lbs. against 36,867,724 lbs at the same date last year. The receipts to date are 21,121,975 lbs, against 24,905,743 lbs for the same period last year. Aside from the closing up of some large holdings of Ohio fine delains the market has been quiet. The delaine sold principally at ...c. which was what was bid and refused some weeks ago. There is a firm market still and no pressure to sell notwithstanding the general dullness here and the late decline abroad. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Wool quiet and weak; medium grades and combing, 16@20½c; light fine, 16@19c; heavy fine, 12@15c; tub washed, 19@29c.

Poultry.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Poultry—Alive steady and unchanged; dressed easy; Western chickens, 131/2@13%c; Western fowls, 13c; turkeys, 18@19c. BOSTON, Feb. 13.-[Special.]-Poultry steady; fowls, 14½c; springs, 15c; turkeys, 20@21c. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Poultry steady; chickens, 10%c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, 13c; geese, 8c. CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.—Poultry steady; hens, 11%c; springs, 11%@13c; turkeys, 14@15c. CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Dressed poultry steady; turkeys, 15@18c; chickens, 10@13c. LOUISVILLE, Feb. 12.—Hens, 114c per lb chickens, 12@15c; turkeys, 13@15c.

SAVANNAH, Feb. 13.—Spirits of turpentine firm at 65c. Rosin firm; A. B. C. D. E. F. \$1.90; G. \$2; H. \$2.35; I. \$2.30; K. \$3.20; M. \$3.40; N. \$3.60; window glass, \$3.25; water white, \$4.25.

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irm at 65c. Rosin firm at \$1.85. Crude turpentine firm at \$2.40@4. Tar firm at \$1.65. MONTPELIER, Feb. 13.—Crude petroleum steady; North Lima, \$1.11; South Lima and Indi-CHARLESTON, Feb. 13 .- Spirits of turpentine

Dry Goods. NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-The dry goods market

has again shown an appearance of activity in all directions. Business is good and tone strong in cotton goods. Print cloths very firm. Linens firm, with good demand. Burlaps are advancing. | 6%c; Swift River, 5%c.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13 .- Cotton firm; sales, 7,300 bales; ordinary, 7%c; good ordinary, 8%c; low middling, 8 13-16c; middling, 9%c; good middling, 9 13-16c; middling fair, 10%c. Receipts, 6,730 bales; stock, 362,267 bales. NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet 10 points higher; middling uplands, 9.60c; middling gulf, 9.85c; sales, 710 bales.

Metals. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.-Metals quiet. Lead firm at \$3.97%. Spelter steady at \$4.80.

GOOD VOLUME OF BUSINESS, WITH PRICES NEARLY NORMAL.

Poultry Firm and Higher, but Eggs Weak and Lower-Coffee Stronger

-Grain Receipts Relatively Light.

In trade circles yesterday there was little calling for special mention. Coffee is firmer on account of considerable reduction in the world's visible supply during January and present month, which are expected to fall below those of the corresponding month in 1902. Sugar is unsettled. Fluctuations have been numerous in the last few weeks and the trade hardly knows what to expect the decrease in estimated receipts for the the trade hardly knows what to expect from week to week. Canned goods and for some time past. Demand for both is very good. Navy beans, which have been a large seller of late, have been reduced in normal basis, supply being fully to demand. On Commission row trade is fairly good; there is a plentiful supply of winter vegetables and Southern green stuff, daily arrivals keeping the mar-ket well supplied with fresh stock. Medium per keg, \$4; mule shoes, per keg, \$4.50; horse nafls, \$4@5 per box. Barb wire, galvanized, \$2; painted, \$2.75. apples are in large supply and sell at low figures. Irish potatoes are abundant and move more freely than ten days ago, at prices 5c a bushel lower. California celery is a little higher. Lettuce sells well and prices are strong. Butter is taking on a steadier tone, prices being nearly normal. Cheese maintains its firm position without change. Eggs are lower both in domestic and Eastern markets. The mild weather has largely increased receipts. Poultry is firmer and highest Cereal products are good sellers and prices fluctuate but little. flour is hardly as firm as ten days ago. Receipts are said to be increasing. Leather s firm and trade is active. Grocers report

their traveling salesmen sending in good orders and prices on all staples fairly firm. Indianapolis Grain Market.

Receipts of grain are not as heavy as dealers desire, but still they are handling so much more than in the four fall months. Bidding is active and a good deal of interest is shown. Track bids, as reported

by the secretary of the Board of Trade, Wheat weaker; No. 2 red, 76c track; No. red, 76c on milling freight; No. 3 red, 73c track; February, 76c; wagon, 76c. Corn steady; No. 1 white, 45c; No. 2 white, 45c; No. 3 white, 45c; No. 4 white, 43c; No. 2 white mixed, 45c; No. 3 white mixed, 45c; No. 4 white mixed, 43c; No. 2 yellow, 45c; No. 3 yellow, 45c; No. 4 yellow, 43c; No. 2 mixed, 45c; No. 3 mixed, 45c; No.

4 mixed, 43c; ear, 42c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 38½c; No. 3 white, 37½c; No. 2 mixed, 36c; No. 3 mixed, Hay steady; No. 1 timothy, \$14.50; No. 2

Inspections-Wheat: No. 2 red, 1 car; rejected, 2; no established grade, 1; total, 4 cars. Corn: No. 3 white, 15 cars; No. 3 yellow, 1; No. 3 mixed, 10; No. 4 mixed 1; no established grade, 1; ear corn, 2; total, 30 cars. Oats: No. 3 mixed, 1 car; rejected, 1; total, 2 cars. Hay: No. 1 timothy, WAGON MARKET.

Offerings on the wagon market were more liberal, but with a good demand little trouble was experienced in disposing of the holdings at good prices. Quotations were as follows, as reported by the wagon weigh-

Corn—43@45c per bu.
Oats—32@34c per bu.
Sheaf Oats—\$9@11 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, \$13.50@14.50; mixed clover,
\$10.50@11.50 per ton.

Straw-\$5@6 per ton. Poultry and Other Produce.

Young turkeys, 15c; hens, 10c; cocks, 21/2c; oung ducks, 8c; geese, \$4.25 per doz; springs, Game-Rabbits, \$1.20 per doz; Mallard ducks, Cheese—New York full creams, 15c; Swiss, 17c; brick, 14c; limburger, 13c. Butter-Choice roll, 1212c per lb; country

Eggs-Weak at 14c per doz. leeswax-30c for yellow, 25c for dark. Feathers-Prime geese, 30c per lb; prime duck, 20c per lb.
Wool-Merchantable, medium, 16c; burry and unmerchantable, 3@5c less; coarse grades, 15c; fine merino, 13@15c; tub-washed, 25@28c. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

Green-salted Hides-No. 1, 7%c; No. 2, 6%c; No. 1 calf, 10c; No. 2 calf, 8%c. Tallow-No. 1, 51/2c; No. 2, 41/2c. THE JOBBING TRADE. (The quotations given below are the selling pri

Candies and Nuts. Candles—Stick, 7c per lb; common mixed, 7c; grocers' mixed, 6½c; Banner twist mixed, 8c; Banner cream mixed, 19@11c; old-time mixed, 8c; Nuts—Soft-shelled almonds, 18@29c; English walnuts, 13@15c; Brazil nuts, 13c; filberts, 14½c; peanuts, rousted, 7@8c; mixed nuts, 13c.

Coal and Coke.

Anthracite, \$10; Pittsburg, \$5.75; Kanawha, \$5.75; Jackson, \$6; smokeless, lump. \$7.50; Brazil block, \$5.25; Greene county, lump, \$4.75; Raymond, \$4.50; Connellsville coke, \$11; lump coke. 17c bu, \$4.75 per 25 bu; crushed coke, 20c bu, \$5 per 25 bu. Bags, 25c per ton extra, ground floor or dumped in cellar; 50c per ton extra, second floor or carried in cellar; from wagon, 25c extra by wheelbarrow, chute or basket.

A Brooklyn electrical engineer has just

form, 58%65c; copperas, brl, 75c; cream tartar, pure, 30%33c; indigo, 65%80c; licorice, Calab., genuine, 35%40c; magnesia, carb., 2 oz, 20%22c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.25%2.50; oil, bergamot, per lb. \$3; opium, \$3.15@3.35; quinine, P. & W., per oz. 33@38c; balsam coparba, 55@60c; soap. Castile, Fr., 13@16c; soda, bicarb., 214@3c; salts. Epsom, 1%@4c; sulphur flour, 2%@5c; saltpeter, 8
@10c; turpentine, 68@75c; glycerine, 16%@29c; lodide potassium, \$2.45@2.50; bromide potassium, 37@40c; chlorate potash, 15@20c; borax, 9@12c; cinchonida, 35@40c; carbolic acid, 27c; cocaine, same time. It displays for a danger signal

Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin L, 7c; Berkeley, No. 60, 8%c; Cabot, 6%c; Capitol, 7c; Cumberland, 7c; Dwight Anchor, 8c; Fruit of the Loom, 7%c; Farwell, 7c; Fitchville, 6%c; Full Width, 5%c; Gilt Edge, 5%c; Gilded Age, 5c; Hill, 7c; Hope, 6%c; Linwood, 7c; Lonsdale, 7%c; Peabody, 5%c; Pepperell, 2-4, 20c; Pepperell, 10-4, 2c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20c;

Allen robes, 5c; American indigo, 4½c; Arnold long cloth B, 7½c; Arnold LLC, 6½c; Cocheco fancy, 5c; Hamilton fancy, 5c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 5½c; Pacific fancy, 5c; Simpson's mournings, 4½c; Simpson's Berlin solids, 5½c; Simpson's oll finish, 6c; American shirting, 4c; black white, 44c; grays, 44c. Kid-finished Cambrics-Edwards, 3%c; Warret 31/2c; Slater, 37/4c; Genesee, 37/4c.

Tickings—Amoskeag ACA, 101/4c; Conestoga BF, 121/4c; Cordis 140, 111/4c; Cordis T, 111/4c; Cordis ACE, 111/4c; Hamilton awnings, 9c; Kimono fancy, 17c; Lenox fancy, 18c; Methuen AA, 161/4c; Oakland AF, 6c; Portsmouth, 111/4c; Susquehanna, 121/4c; Shetucket SW, 6c; Shetucket F, 61/4c; Swift River, 51/4c. Ginghams—Amoskeag, 6c; Amoskeag dress, 7½c, Bates, 5½c; Lancaster, 6c; Lancaster dress, 7½c; Toll du Nord, 5½c.
Grain Bags—Amoskeag, \$14.50; American, \$14.50; Harmony, \$13.50; Stark, \$16.50.

Spring patent, \$4.25 per brl; winter wheat patent, \$3.75; straight grade, \$3.40; fancy grade, \$3.25; low grade, \$2.50; graham flour, \$3.75.

Groceries. Coffee—Good, 8612c; prime, 12614c; strictly prime, 14616c; fancy green and yellow, 18623c; Java, 28632c. Roasted—Old Government Java, 3216333c; finest Mocha and Java, 28630c; Java blend, 22c; fancy blend, 18c; Golden blend, 18c. Package Coffee—City prices: Ariosa, 10.25c; Lion, 9.75c; Jersey, 10.25c; Caracas, 9.75c; Dili-worth's, 10.25c; Mail Pouch, 8.75c; Gates's Blended Java, 9.75c; Jav-O-Cau, 10.75c (100 friction top tins in basket); Climax Jave B Sugars—City prices: Crystal Dominees, 5-lb cartons, 7.47c; Eagle Tablets, 6.32c; cut loaf, 5.87c; powdered, 5.37c; XXXX powdered, 5.42c; Eagle powdered, 5-lb bags, 5.52c; standard granulated, 5.17c; fine granulated, 5.17c; granulated, 5.17c; extra fine granulated, 5.27c; granulated, 5-lb bags, 5.37c; cubes, 5.52c; moid A, 5.52c; confectioners' A, 5.02c; 1 Columbia A, 4.92c; 2 Windsor A, 4.92c; 3 Ridgewood A, 4.92c; 4 Phoenix A, 4.87c; 5 Empire A, 4.82c; 6 Ideal Golden ex. C, 4.77c; 7 Windsor ex. C, 4.72c; 8 Ridgewood ex. C, 4.67c; 9 yellow ex. C, 4.62c; 10 yellow, 4.52c; 11 yellow, 4.52c; 12 yellow, 4.87c; 13 yellow, 4.42c; 14 yellow, 4.52c; 15 yellow, 4.87c; 16 yellow, 4.37c.

Molasses and Syrups—New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 28@32c; choice, 38@42c; syrups, 25 fair to prime, 28@32c; choice, 38@42c; syrups,

@30c.
Salt—In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 20@95c.
Spices—Pepper, 17c; alispice, 15@18c; cloves, 15
@18c; cassia, 15@18c; nutmegs, 50@60c per ib.
Rice—Louislana, 4½@6c; Carolina, 6½@5½c.
Shot—\$1.40@1.60 per bag for drop.
Lead—6½@7c for pressed bars.
Wood Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, \$1.80@2; No. 2,
\$2@2.20; No. 3, \$2.20@2.30; No. 5, \$2.80@3.
Twine—Hemp. 12@18c per lb; wool, 6@10c; flax.

Iron and Steel.

Bar iron, 2.50c; horseshoe bar, 2.75c; nail rod c; plow slab, 4.50c; American cast steel, 9011c tire steel, 3@3%c; spring steel, 4%@5c. Leather.

Oak sole, 23@43c; hemlock sole, 27@37c; harness, 35@40c; skirting, 28@40c; single strap, 41@45c; city kip, 60@80c; French kip, 90c@\$1.20; city calf-skin, 90c@\$1; French calfskin, \$1.20@1.85. Nails and Horseshoes. Steel cut nails, \$2.50; wire nails, \$2.25 rates; from mill, \$2.15 rates.

Linseed, raw, 47c per gal; linseed oil, boiled, 48c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 10@15c.

Produce, Fruits and Vegetables. Apples-Kings, extra fancy, high color, \$3; Baldwins, \$2; Baldwins, extra fancy, \$2.56; Greenings, extra fancy, \$2.75; Hubersons, extra fancy, \$3; Wine Saps, extra fancy, \$2.75; Jona-thans, extra fancy, \$2.75; Rome Beauties, extra \$3; Russet, extra fancy, \$3; Spys, extra Beans—Hand-picked pea, \$2.50 per bu. Bananas—Large, \$2 per bunch; medium, Cabbage—New York Danish, \$12 per ton.

Carrots—Per bri, \$1.25.
Celery—Michigan, 25c doz; California, per doz,
60c; per crate, in rough, \$3.25.
Cocoanuts—\$4 per bag.
Cranberries—Cape Cod and Jerseys, \$10010.50
per bri; Cape Cod, \$3.50 per box.

Cucumbers—\$1.25.

Grapes—Malaga, per keg, \$5.50,

Honey—White, 17½c per lb; medium dark, 16c.

Hickory Nuts—Per bu, \$1.50.

Kale—75c per brl.

Lemons—Extra fancy Verdella, 360 size, \$3.25;

box; 300 size, \$3.25; California, per box, \$3. Lettuce-Per bu, \$1. Oranges-Florida, \$2.75; California Navela, \$2.75; eedlings, \$2. Opions-Red, \$1.40 per cwt; yellow, \$1.25; Span

Parsnips-Per bri, \$1.75. otatoes-Wisconsin white, 55c per bu. Shallots-40c per doz. Sweet Potatoes-Illinois Jerseys, \$2.75.

Turnips-Per bri, 60c.

Sugar-cured Hams-Indiana, 12 lbs average, 14%c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 14c.

Shoulders-English cured, Reliable, 18 to 20 lbs average, 11%c; sugar-cured Indiana, 8 to 10 lbs average, 11%c.

Pickled Pork-Fancy boneless pig pork, per bri 200 lbs, \$23,50; fancy clear bean pork, per bri 200 200 lbs, \$23.50; fancy clear bean pork, per bri 200 lbs, \$23; short clear, per bri 200 lbs, \$21; rump, per bri 200 lbs, \$18.50; Indiana bean or jowl, per bri 200 lbs, \$18.50. Also half bris, 100 lbs, at half the price of the bris, adding 50c to cover additional coat of package.

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Lard—Kettle rendered, 11%c; pure lard, 11%c.

Bacon—Clear sides, 50 to 60 lbs average, 11%c.
30 to 40 lbs average, 12c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 11%c; 12%c; clear bellies, 25 to 30 lbs average, 11%c; 1 to 22 lbs average, 12c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 13%c; 12 to 10 lbs average, 11%c; 12 to 10 lbs average, 12%c; 12 to 10 lbs av Ibs average, 124c; 9 to 10 lbs average, 124c.

Seed clover, prime, \$6.75@7.25; English clover, 2.10. Fancy Kentucky bluegrass, \$1.50@1.50 extra clean, 60@70c. Orchard grass, \$1.50@1.70 red top, 90c@\$1.75. English bluegrass, \$2.

Standard Oil and Congress. Philadelphia Record (Dem.)

Mr. John D. Rockefeller did not achieve his eminent success by telegraphing in his own name to legislators directing the defeat of adverse measures. But the Standard Oil Company attained its proportions and its prosperity by its secret relations with rallway officials and legislators, and the President, having knowledge that the Rockefeller interests had prepared a sub-stitute for the Nelson amendment, warned the Minnesota senator to look out for it. Immediately thereafter two persons produced an identical amendment, typewritten, with the request that the senator accept it as a substitute. He examined it carefully and found it a meaningless vision that was evidently inspired by hos-tility to any effective legislation, and that it probably came from the Standard Oil Com-

This method of procedure is much n in keeping with the habits of beneficie of legislation and the great corporations that fear legislative interference than the sending of telegraphic orders signed with the name of the head of the corpo When Senator Hanna was asked about the reported dispatches from the president of the Standard Oil Compnay he replied: "Do you think Mr. Rockefeller is an idiot?" No one suspects that, but the President's warning to Senator Nelson shows that the Standard Oil Compnay was working against

Mr. Littlefield's aim is to secure publicity for the financial condition of the great cor-porations, but what would be very much more important, if it could be attained would be publicity of the relations between the great combinations and gentlemen in the House and Senate. Of course, there

A Brooklyn electrical engineer has ju patented a device that, it is asserted, w curred last week at Westfield. It is a signal appliance that will work in connec with the present semaphore system, and will display the signal on board the loco-motive immediately before the engineer's eyes, so that it cannot be obscured in fog or darkness, and if it is a danger signal, will The signal works in three ways at the same time. It displays for a danger signal a red light, blows a whistle and puts on the air brakes simultaneously. For a precautionary signal it simply puts on a gre

cautionary signal it simply puts on a green light in front of the engineer's eyes. In order to make the system doubly sure, the semaphore lights now in use may be left on the semaphores, so that there will be signals on the cab and alongside the track. A large railway system is considering the adoption of the invention.

In the meantime, the question of compelling railway companies that are using engines of the type or that which caused

gines of the type of that which caused such havoc at Westfield to have two men in the forward cab is being vigorously